

AMENDMENT TO THE CLAIMS

Claims 1-8 (Previously numbered 1-5,5,6 and 7) (Cancelled)

Claim 9 (Currently amended): A fleet of refuse collection vehicles (RCVs) comprising the following types of RCVs,

a front loader refuse collection vehicle (RCV) made from a body module, a hopper module and a tailgate module and

a side loader RCV made from a body module, a hopper module and a tailgate module,

each body module having similar ends,

the each body module being manufactured so that one end will mate with and overlies an end of a tailgate module of a front loader RCV and a side loader RCV and so that the other end will mate with an end of a hopper module of a front loader RCV and a side loader RCV.

Claim 10 (Currently amended): The fleet of RCVs of claim 9 wherein,

~~the refuse collection vehicle~~ each body module includes a refuse storage capacity,

the body modules have varied lengths to ~~vary~~ create the desired refuse storage capacity for each RCV.

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Claim 11 (Previously presented): The fleet of RCVs of claim 9 wherein,

the front loader RCV has a hopper module with a loader module attached to the hopper module.

Claim 12 (Currently amended): The fleet of RCVs of claim 9 wherein,

~~The~~ the front loader RCV has a loader module attached to a chassis portion of the RCV.

Claim 13 (Previously presented): The fleet of RCVs of claim 9 wherein,

the side loader RCV has a loader module attached to a chassis portion of the RCV.

Claim 14 (Currently amended): The fleet of RCVs of claim 9 wherein,

the side loader RCV has a loader module attached to the hopper module of the RCV.

Claim 15 (Currently amended): A fleet of refuse collection vehicles (RCVs) comprising the following types of RCVs,

a front loader refuse collection vehicle (RCV) made from a body module, a hopper module and a tailgate module and

a rear loader RCV having a body module and a tailgate module made from a hopper combined therewith,

each body module having similar ends,

the each body module being manufactured so that one end will mate with and overlies an end of a tailgate module of a front loader RCV and a rear loader RCV and so that the other end will mate with an end of a hopper module of a front loader RCV.

Claim 16 (Currently amended): The fleet of RCVs of claim 15 wherein,

~~the refuse collection vehicle~~ each body module includes a refuse storage capacity,

the body modules have varied lengths to ~~vary~~ create the desired refuse storage capacity for each RCV.

Claim 17 (Previously presented): The fleet of RCVs of claim 15 wherein,

the front loader RCV has a hopper module with a loader module attached to the hopper module.

Claim 18 (Currently amended): The fleet of RCVs of claim 15 wherein,

The the front loader RCV has a loader module attached to a chassis portion of the RCV.

Claim 19 (Currently amended): The fleet of RCVs of claim 15 wherein,

the rear loader RCV has a loader module attached to the tailgate module of the RCV.

Claim 20 (Currently amended): The fleet of RCVs of claim 15 wherein,

the rear loader RCV has a loader module attached to a body module portion of the RCV.

Claim 21 (Currently amended): A fleet of refuse collection vehicles (RCVs) comprising the following types of RCVs,

a side loader RCV made from a body module, a hopper module and a tailgate module and

a rear loader RCV made from a body module and a tailgate module having a hopper combined therewith,

each body module having similar ends,

~~the~~ each body module being manufactured so that one end will mate with and overlie an end of a tailgate module of a side loader RCV and a rear loader RCV and so that the other end will mate with an end of a hopper module of a side loader RCV.

Claim 22 (Currently amended): The fleet of RCVs of claim 21 wherein,

~~the refuse collection vehicle~~ each body module includes a refuse storage capacity,

the body modules have varied lengths to vary the desired refuse storage capacity for each RCV.

Claim 23 (Previously presented): The fleet of RCVs of claim 21 wherein,

the side loader RCV has a loader module attached to a chassis portion of the RCV.

Claim 24 (Currently amended): The fleet of RCVs of claim 21 wherein,

the side loader RCV has a loader module attached to the hopper module of the RCV.

Claim 25 (Currently amended): The fleet of RCVs of claim 21 wherein,

the rear loader RCV has a loader module attached to the tailgate module of the RCV.

Claim 26 (Currently amended): The fleet of RCVs of claim 21 wherein,

the rear loader RCV has a loader module attached to a body module portion of the RCV.